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A METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR AGGREGATING INCOMING
PACKETS INTO OPTICAL BURSTS FOR AN OPTICAL BURST
SWITCHED NETWORK

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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows.